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Title: METHOD FOR CONTROLLING CONFIGURATION OF INDUCED BREAKDOWN AND ABLATION

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- Background of Invention
- Brief Summary of the Invention
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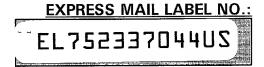
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LASER INDUCED BREAKDOWN AND ABLATION

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